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Applicant:

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Title:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR USING ATRIAL DISCRIMINATION ALGORITHMS

TO DETERMINE OPTIMAL PACING THERAPY AND THERAPY TIMING

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X An Amendment and Response under 37 C.F.R. 1.111 (24 pgs.).

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X A Petition for a Two-Month Extension of Time (1 pg.)

X A check in the amount of \$420.00 to cover the Extension of Time Fee.

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			CLAIMS AS	AMENDED		
	(1) Claims Remaining After Amendment		(2) Highest Number Previously Paid For	(3) Present Extra	Rate	Fee
TOTAL CLAIMS	73	-	61	12	x 18.00 =	\$216.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	12	-	7	5	x 86.00 =	\$430.00
[]MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS PRESENTED						\$0.00
TOTAL						\$646.00

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